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He brings over a decade of experience across innovation, capital and policy. At CcHUB he led pan-African acceleration programmes with partners including Facebook, Google, Airbus and GIZ. At MAGIC Fund, a $30M global venture fund, he has backed startups now valued at over $10B, and he previously served as strategy manager to the CEO of Helium Health.

Francis believes technology should be a vehicle for shared prosperity, and that Africa's greatest asset is its people.